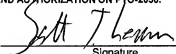


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Application Number 10/731,790-Conf. #4910		Filed December 9, 2003	
For METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DATA RETENTION IN A STORAGE SYSTEM			
Art Unit 2166		Examiner K. B. Pham	
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